MARIETTA, OHIO, FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1896.

UNITED STATES

To Assist the Nicaraguan Canal Company.

The House Sub-Committee Will Make a Report to the Full Committee.

Bonds Can be Issued to the Amount of \$100,000,000. The Government Guar-antees the Principal and Interest, and is to be Secured by Stock.

WASHINGTON, March 19 .- The subcommittee of the house commerce committee, which has been engaged for several weeks in the preparation of a Nicaragua canal bill, finished its labors Wednesday and will report to the full committee on Friday next. The bill agreed upon is substantially the Mahone bill with certain amendments. It provides for a reorganization of the Maritime Canal Co. It permits the company to issue bonds to the amount of one hundred million dollars, of which seven millions shall be held by the company to reimburse it for the money actually expended in Nicaragua for the franchise. The United States guarantees the principal and interest of the bonds, which latter shall be sold as needed to complete the waterway. The United States is protected in its liabilities by an issue of one hun-known parties, stealing a ride, were dred million dollars of stock, which killed, and Conductor Ferguson badly is to be the sole property injured. Trains were delayed for sev-of the government and which is to be eral hours. deposited in the United States treasury at Washington. Ten of the fifteen directors shall represent the government, the remaining five representing the company, and the republic of Nicara-gua and Costa Rica. The bill requires the company to call in and cancel all its outstanding obligations except the bonds issued to the two republics which aggregate four million and two million each, and which, under the new bill, they will be permitted to retain. All the bonds will bear interest at three per cent. per annum, the net earnings of the canal to be placed in the sinking fund for their extinguishment from time to time. Additional security is given to the government by a first mortgage on the canal. The work will be constructed under the supervision of the war department. The bill reserves the right to the government to purchase at its pleasure the seven millions

of bonds held by that corporation. A hearing will be given by the committee to ex-Senator Warner Miller, of New York, on Friday next.

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Saturday, Mch. 14th,

A Strictly All-Wool Men's Cheviot Suit,

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styles for

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Boys and Children's Department

We have a vast variety of the very nicest and latest spring novelties for the young folks. In this de-

partment we also have a special sale of

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Good Union Cassimere, in Blue,

Black and Grey for

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How Is This for a Corker?

A Strictly All-Wool Harris Cassimere Pants in Dark and

Steel Grey, extra well-made at the remarkably

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Worth THREE DOLLARS

Remember that our Hats and Furnishing Goods Depart-

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all the Latest Spring Styles. Remember the Great State of Ohio,

Front and Butler Streets.

WORTH \$2.25.

the latter

Secretary of the Interior Instructed to Open to Settlement 2,000,000 Acres in Utah.

of Wednesday's proceedings in the sen-ate was a short debate upon a joint resolution directing the secretary of the interior to execute the law for opening to settlement some two million acres of land in the eastern part of Utah, which has been part of the Uncompander Indian reserva-tion. Severe strictures upon the secretary of the interior for attempting to nullify the act of congress were made by Senators Cannon, of Utah, Wolcott, of Colorado, and Vest, of Mis-souri. The latter inveighed with much vehemence against the secretary, de-claring that the time had been when the head of a department would have to answer at the bar of the senate for such an attempt to trample upon the legislative branch of the government.

The Dupont election case was taken up after the morning hour, and Mr. Thurston, of Nebraska, made a three hours' speech in advocacy of Mr. Dupont's right to the seat.

Three Killed in a Rallway Smash-Up. MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 19 .- A southbound freight on the Illinois Central railroad broke in two ten miles south of Water Valley, Miss., Wednesday morning, afterward coming together with a force that caused a great smashup. Charley Fletcher and two un-

Bills Passed in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 19 .- The following bills were taken from the calendar and passed Wednesday: Senate bill for the relief of settlers on the Northern Pacific indemnity lands (allowing them to take up quantities of land in Minnesota equal to the cancelled patents.) House bill for the reconstruction of the Rock Island bridge.

Arms and Ammunition for Cuba.

WASHINGTON, March 19.-Gen. Quesada, of the Cuban revolutionary government, Wednesday received a telegram saying that Gen. Enrique Col-lazo had arrived safely in Cuba fortified with an equipment of 1,000 rifles and 1,000,000 cartridges. No further details are contained in the dispatch.

North Carolina Republican Convention. RALEIGH, N. C. March 19 .- The republican state committee Wednesday afternoon called the state convention to meet here May 14 to elect four delegates and four alternates to the national convention, and to nominate a state ticket or such part thereof as may be agreed upon.

SUFFER DEFEAT.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The feature The Spaniards Repulsed With Considerable Loss.

> Important Battle Near Candelaria Province of Pinar Del Rio.

The Insurgents Made a Charge and a Hand to Hand Engagement Ensued—The En-gagement Lasted Two Hours, and Terminated in a Bayonet Charge.

HAVANA, March 19 .- News has been received here of an important battle which was fought on Monday in the vicinity of Candelaria, in the province of Pinar Del Rio. The government troops were unable to drive the insurgents back and retired from their position with considerable loss. The Spanish forces were commanded by Gen. Linares and Cols. Inclan and Hernandez, and the rebels by Maceo and Bandera. The fight was begun on a line parallel with the roadway. The Spanish forces de-ployed the Tarifa battalion, a section of the Victoria cavalry and a detachment of artillery forming the vanguard, and opening fire on the enemy. The rebels returned this fire and at the same time made an attack upon the rear guard of the Spaniards, completely encircling their column. Having entirely surrounded the government troops, the insurgents advanced upon the artillerymen with matchetes. The latter made a vigorous resistance, using muskets and grenades with such effect as to check for a time the enemy's advance, but with reinforcements, a second charge was made by the insurgents and a hand to hand engagement ensued. The battle terminated with a bayonet charge. After a hot fight lasting two hours, the Spaniards were defeated, losing many killed and wounded. It was the intention of the enemy to prevent Col. Inclan from proceeding to Candelaria.

The official report of the fight says the insurgents suffered a tremendous loss. The Spaniards lost two captains and five privates killed and one lieutenant, four sergeants and 54 soldiers wounded. Gen. Linares arrived at Candelaria an hour after the conclusion of the engagement when he reported his share in the battle.

Heliographic communication was interrupted Tuesday.

The rebels have burned all but 15 houses in San Antonio de Las Vegas, in the province of Havana.

KECK'S CASE.

On a Charge of Smuggling Diamonds He is Held in Philadelphia in \$3,000 Ball. PHILADELPHIA, March 19.-Herman Keck, a member of the firm of Conderman, Heinrick, Keck & Co., diamond brokers of Cincinnati, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Bell Wednesday afternoon on the charge of being implicated in smuggling diamonds into this country. Keck was arrested in New York on Saturday by Special Custom Agent Cummings. His arrest grew out of the arrest of Capt. Loeswitz, of the American line steamship Rhynland at this port some weeks ago. Special Agent Gallen, of this city, found 500 small diamonds, valued at about ten thousand dollars, in the captain's stateroom. The jewels were not on the ships manifest.

Capt. Loeswitz, who is held in bail for court on the same charge, was call- high northwest winds. ed as a witness. He said:

"I met Keck in Antwerp on January 27. A friend, who is a jeweler, introduced us. My friend gave me a package before we parted, saying, 'This belongs to Keck; will you take it to America for him?' I looked at the package and saw that it contained no address. Then Keck handed me a piece of paper with Von Reith, Cincinnati, written on it. friend and Keck assured me that the package contained no dutiable articles."

signed by his friend in Antwerp, which substantiated his testimony. After the case had been argued at length, Mr. Keck was held in \$3,000

bail for court.

The captain produced an affidavit

Double Execution at Belleville, Tex. Brenham, Tex., March 19.—Clem Strauthers, who murdered Louis Peter last November, and Buck Chappell, who murdered Dora Emshoff, December 18, 1895, were both hanged at Belleville Wednesday. Neither neck was broken, and both died by strangulation. They were cut down 12 minutes after the drop fell. Strauther confessed his crime, but Chappell declared his innocence to the last.

Delegates Uninstructed. MERIDIAN, Miss., March 19.-The re-

publicans of the Fifth congressional district chose Capt. A. J. Hyde, of this city, and R. A. Simmons, of Holmes county, delegates to the national convention at St. Louis, and M. L. Reddock, of Yazoo City, for presidential elector. J. E. Everett was nominated for congress. They are uninstructed and unpledged.

Colored Desperado Fatally Wounded. UNIONTOWN, Pa., March 19.—"Eat a Bite" Tibbs, the colored desperado and outlaw who operated in this vicinity, was shot and fatally wounded by a posse of officers on one of the principal thoroughfares in town. Twenty-two shots were fired. Nine of the officers were injured. There is a general feeling of relief that Tibbs' career is near an end.

Will Vote for the Ohio Mau.

MUSKEGON, Mich., March 19.—The
Muskegon county republican convention assembled Wednesday in the
courthouse and elected delegates to the
state convention with instructions to vote for McKinlay.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Alexander, of Servia, has been betrothed to Princess Marie, of Greece.

evacuation of Kassala by the Italians. A blizzard passed over the Indian Territory and north Texas. It is predicted that the entire fruit crop is

The board of directors of the Missouri Pacific railroad organized Wednesday by the re-election of the old officers.

518,094. The withdrawals for the day were \$361,100.

of the Wilmington, Del., public building, has been awarded to L. L. Leach & Son, of Chicago, at \$52,736.

Royal Yacht squadron a cup to be competed for in the races of the Cowes regatta, which will take place in August. At Chicago, Alfred C. Field, colored,

Randolph, also colored, was sentenced to hang on May 15 by Judge Baker Thursday morning. Field plead guilty. The yacht race for the cup given by

Baron Hirsch was sailed at Cannes Thursday and won by the Satanita. The Ailsa was second and the Britania third and last. . The Satanita won casily.

The senate bill, authorizing the secretary of war to issue Springfield rifles

to each state and territory for the national guards thereof, in exchange for other rifles now held, passed the sen-The house banking and currency

committee Wednesday ordered a favorable report on Brosius' bill, permitting the establishment of national banks in towns of 4,000 inhabitants or under, with a capital of \$20,000.

from Indiana, died suddenly at her home in Washington. Mr. Holman was with her at the last moment. The remains will be taken to Aurora, Ind., for interment.

tel block, and who has other large real estate mercantile interests in Grand Rapids, Mich., Wednesday morning filed an assignment and trust deed running to the Michigan Trust Co., aggregating about \$81,000.

vention for the Fifteenth district which met at Joplin, Mo., Wednesday, Con-gressman Charles G. Burton was re-nominated by acclamation. The delegates to the national convention were instructed to support McKinley.

Timber Rafts Going Out. FARMER, Ky., March 19.—The Lick-ing river has risen 15 feet since Wednesday and is still rising rapidly. About fifty rafts of timber have passed here for lower mills. River men look for five feet more of a rise. Twenty rafts are blocked in the river three miles above here.

western portions; high northwesterly winds. For Indiana-Snow flurries in eastern por-tion Friday; fair and continued cold; brisk to

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, March 19.
FLOUR—Spring patents, \$3.55@3.80: spring fancy, \$3.15@3.30: spring family, \$2.75@2.90; winter patents, \$3.65@3.85: fancy, \$2.2@3.50: family, \$2.70@3.00; extra, \$2.35@2.60; lowgrade,

69 5-16@69 13-16c; July, 68% 269%c; September CORN-No. 2, 374@3840; May, 3540.

OATS No. 2, dull; western, 25c; February, 29c; May, 24%c bid.

TOLEDO, O., March 19.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, cash, 694c; May, 694c; July, 654c; No. 3 red cash, 67c. Cohn—No. 2 mixed, May, 304c. OATS—Nominal CHICAGO, March 18.

20%@29%c. Puts opened at 29%c, mst price 29%

PITTSBURGE, March 18
CATTLE-Prime, \$4 25@4 40; good, \$4 15@4 30; rough fat, \$4.00@3.75; calves, \$2.50@6.00

It is reported in Athens that King

The Italian embassy in London has received no information of the reported

The treasury gold reserve at the close of business Wednesday stood at \$127,-

The contract for the interior finish

The German emperor has sent to the

who brutally murdered Mrs. Ellen C.

Mrs. Abigail Knapp Holman, wife of Hon. Wm. S. Holman, ex-congressman

M. L. Sweet, owner of the Sweet ho-

In the republican congressional con-

The Weather. WASHINGTON, March 19.—For West Virginia—Friday fair: decidedly colder: high
northwesterly winds.

was made trustee of the fund. The
bill now goes to the house. For Ohio-Friday fair: high northwesterly

For Kentucky-Friday fair: warmer in

winter patents, \$3.053.83; fancy, \$2.253.02; family, \$2.7023.00; extra, \$2.3562.20; lowgrade, \$2.0002.35; rye, northwestern, \$2.5562.65; do city, \$2.002.70.

WHEAT-No. 2 red, track, 72½c

CORN-Sales: No. 2 white, track, 24c

THOGS-Select shippers', \$3.9564.09; select butchers', \$3.902.39; fair to good packers', \$3.7562.85; fair to good light, \$3.702.39; common and roughs, \$3.402.370.

CATTLE-Fair to good shippers, \$3.4064.00; good to choice butchers, \$3.7524.00; fair to medium butchers, \$3.1562.65; common, \$2.502.30, SHEEP AND LAMBS-Sheep-Extras, \$3.75; good to choice, \$3.0023.30; common to fair, \$2.00.276. Lambs-Extras, \$4.702.475, good to choice, \$4.3564.55; common to fair, \$3.502.475, Veal Calves-Fair to good light, \$5.0025.75; extra, \$6.00; common and large, \$2.0024.75.

WOOL-Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb., \$6.96; quarter blood clothing, 136.146; medium delating and clothing, 146.156; coarse, 126.146.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per 1b., 80 sc. quarter blood clothing, 13014c; medium delaine and clothing, 14015c; coarse, 1:014c; medium combing, 15c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per 1b, 13014c; medium clothing, 16c; delaine, fleece, 15016c; long combing, 14015c; quarter blood and low, 13014c.

NEW YORK, March 19.

WHEAT—NO. 2 red March, 710711/sc; May, 85, 1607012, 16c. 1114. Schieffler, Schieffle

Calls on wheat opened at 63%c, sold at 63%c; last price 65%@63%c. Puts opened at 62%c, sold at 62%c, last price 62%@63%c. Calls on May corn opened at 22%c, last price

Hogs—Selected medium weights, & 20@4.25; pigs and common Yorkers, \$4.10@4.15; roughs,

pigs and common Yorkers, \$4 1004 15; Foughs, \$2,0003.75.

SHEEP-Market firm; choice wethers, \$4,0004 10; prime, \$1,0004.00; fair, \$3.4003.55; common, \$2.7502.25; lambs, \$3.5008.80.

BUFFALO, N. Y.. March is CATTLE-Light steers, \$4.2003.35; veals, dull, \$4.0005.00; choice, \$3.2506.50.

HOGS-Yorkers, \$4.2004.25; pigs, \$4.2004.25; mixed-packers and mediums, \$4.1504.10.

SHEEF AND LAMBS-Choice to prime, \$3.6504.100; fair to good, \$3.2503.50; prime lambs, \$4.8004.85; good to choice, \$4.5004.75; export sheep, \$3.6503.80; export lambs, \$4.0004.75; export sheep, \$3.6503.80; export lambs, \$4.0004.75.

WHEAT-No. 2 red spot and March, 7320; May, 704.50026; July, 7020; southern, 72276.

CORN-Mired spot, March and April, 540380; May, 34403440; July, 7040; southern, 72276.

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BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within

DR. SPRINGER GUILTY. Cleveland Jury Convicts Him of Performing a Criminal Operation.

CLEVELAND, O., March 19.-In the criminal court Wednesday, after a most exciting trial, Dr. Charles H. Springer was convicted by jury of having per-formed a criminal operation upon 17-year-old Hattie Malidy, from which she died. The evidence showed that Hattie, an exceedingly pretty girl, called on the doctor at his office. She never left the office alive. Search was instituted for the girl by her family and relatives who are wealthy and

three days after her disappearance she was found by detectives on the dissecting table of the Wooster medical college, Dr. Springer was ar-rested, bailed and stremous efforts have been made to keep him from coming to trial. The girl's mother, how ever, insisted. The verdits caused a great sensation as Dr. Springer is a well-known physician.

THE COIT BILL

Indorsed by the Ohio National Guard Association-Officers Elected. Columbus, O., March 19.-The Ohio National Guard association, in session here, has elected the following officers: President, Major O. J. Hopkins, Toledo; vice-presidents, Col. J. L. Gyger, Alli-ance, and Capt. R. E. Burdick, Cleveland; secretary, Maj. John Speaks, Co-lumbus; treasurer, Capt. John P. Smith,

The association indorsed the Coit expense bill and also the bill to exempt an officer called out for duty from criminal prosecution in case persons are killed during a riot.

Colt Bill Passes the Senate.

Columbus, O., March 19 .- The senate conference committee Thursday morning reported on the bill to compensate Col. Colt and pay his attorney fees, recommending an appropriation of \$17,-750. The bill passed in this shape. The original amount was \$30,000. Judge George K. Nash, of Columbus,

Spiritual Society Incorporated.

COLUMBUS, O., March 19. - The Society of Spiritual Unity, of Cincinnati, was incorporated Thursday by John W. Briggs, Charles W. Brown, Henry Thorn, Mrs. S. C. Eiche, Mrs. E. G. Keck and Caroline Richter. The object of the association is the dissemination of the phenomena and philosophy of spiritualism as taught in the Bible,

To Protect Sailors.

COLUMBUS, O., March 19.-State Labor Commissioner Lewis will soon bring forward a measure to require a record of the crews on all steamers leaving the lake ports. He says under present conditions three or four members of a crew could be thrown overboard and no one would know it.

A Tour of the Asylums.

COLUMBUS, O., March 19 .- The house committee on asylums for the insane, composed of Representatives Mason, Van Pelt, Davis and Ludwick, started on a tour of the institutions. They first went to Xenia. They will be in Dayton Friday, Cincinnati Saturday and Athens Sunday.

Snowstorm in Northern Ohlo. Toledo, O., March 19 .- Snow began falling early Thursday morning. It was then about nine inches and still falling. The wind has veered from north to northwest and there has been a decided drop in the temperature. There is no indication of fair weather.

Wapakoneta reports 14 inches.

Snowstorm at Lima. LIMA, O., March 19.- The worst blizzard of the season has prevailed here since four o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Snow is 14 inches deep on the level and still falling. The electric street railway is snowed under, and there is much delay to traffic on all railroads.

Delaware's Law Library.
DELAWARE, O., March 19.—Twentytwo of the city's attorneys met and or-ganized the Delaware Bar Library as-sociation. Judge C. H. McElroy was elected president and Charles Knight secretary. Three hundred volumes

were contributed at once. WASHINGTON, March 19.—The following postmasters were appointed in Ohio Thursday: Drussilla, Putnam county, Frank Krebs; Swisshelm, Highland county, A. A. Willman.

Toledo, O., March 19.—Arrangements were completed here Wednesday for a baseball game Decoration day here between Chicago university and University of Michigan.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

TICE ONE CENT

DEPART—6:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 2:00 pm 4:45 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m., ARRIVE—8:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25, p. m., 4:35 p. m., 6:40, p. m., 8:55 p. m.

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SOUTH. O. R. R. R. (Eastern Time.)
SOUTH. 10:25, 2:50 a m.; 7:76 p. m
NORTH 11:15 p. m.; 3:40, 7:28 a. m



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STAR **CLOTHING** HOUSE

MONEY WANTED.

Chairman Trask, of the Armenian Relief NEW YORK, March 19. - Spencer Trask,

chairman of the executive committee of the National Armenian relief committee has given out the following: "The International Armenian relief

committee to Constantinople has cabled the following: "'All our available funds exhausted. Thirteen distribution centers calling for help. People perishing. What

shall we answer?" In reply the national Armenian relief committee forwarded by cable Wednes-day \$10,000 through Brown Bros. & Co., New York, who are the authorized treasurers, and to whom all relief funds should be promptly sent. The needs and facilities for immediate and safe distribution are greater now than ever. Every dollar goes to the starving survivors of the massacres, whose supplies are exhausted and who are weakened by starvation, exposure and sickness. Thousands

of them will perish unless foreign aid is continued until the new crops. Confirmed by the Senate. WASHINGTON, March 19.-The senate in executive session Wednesday confirmed the following nominations: John H. Puck, collector of customs for the district of Miami, O.; F. Glenn

Mattoon, agent for the Indians at the Fort Berthold agency, N. D. Maryland State Convention. BALTIMORE, March 19.-The republican state central committee has selected April 22 as the date and Baltimore as the place for holding the state convention for the election of delegates

to the national convention. Gov. Clarke Withdraws From the Race. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 19.—In a card published in an afternoon paper, Sov. Clarke announces his withdrawal from the race against United States

Senator Jones. Father and Son Go to the Pen SANDUSKY, O., March 19.—Frederick A. Baumeier and his son Charles have been sentenced to the penitentiary for three and one-half years respectively. They were convicted of concealing

stolen property from a railroad. Ft. Recovery Miller Assigns.
Fr. Recovery, O., March 19.—Fred Meyer, proprietor of the St. Clair roller mills, assigned Thursday. Liabilities, \$50,000; assets half that amount. The assignee is Senator Johnson, of Celina.

Medical Board Confirmed. Columbus, O., March 19.—The senate confirmed the appointment of the members of the state board of medical examiners a few hours after they were announced by Gov. Bushnell.